

STONE & THOMAS.

Reception Days in the Ladies' Tailor-Made Department.

We're after your trade this season to a greater degree than ever before. Qualities, styles and workmanship make it important that you should visit us. Greater assortment is another prominent feature, and less prices for like qualities add to the beauty of the showing.

Ladies' Suits of All Wool Covert and Venetian Cloth, Silk lined jackets.....	\$10.00
Ladies' Tailored Suits of Imported Venetians, Cheviots and Homespuns, black or colors, jackets full silk lined.....	\$14.85
Tailored Suits of Camel's Hair and Fine Broadcloths, jackets silk lined, skirts trimmed or plain.....	\$18.45
Ladies' Suits of the New Double Faced Fabrics, Invisible Checks and Camel's Hair, tight fitting or fly front jackets.....	\$22.50

A dozen or more other prices could be mentioned, ranging on up to \$45.00, but choose which one you may and you have actually the best value for the price to be had in this country.

Dress Goods.

Want you to get acquainted with this Dress Goods Department. We can safely say that we are showing as complete a line of High Class Dress Fabrics as you will find outside of New York.

Fine Fabrics

for Tailor Made Gowns and Skirts, embracing Steam Sponged Cheviots, Camel's Hair, Homespuns, Crystallines, Venetian Cloths, etc., in all the new shades.

Prices start for the extreme wide kinds at, yard..... 98c
Finer qualities range all the way up to, yard..... \$5.00

New Homespuns.

We have devoted an additional space to this very stylish fabric, and quote a few prices:

46-inch wide, All Wool, at.....	50c
48-inch wide, All Wool, at.....	85c
50-inch wide, All Wool, at.....	98c
58-inch wide, All Wool, at.....	\$1.25

Plaids and Double-Faced Suitings.

Time can be spent in this section to a good advantage; in fact, these days it is the centre of attraction. A selection here of all the new styles and colors that stands unequalled.

New Plaids.....	39c to \$5.00 yard
Double Faced Suitings.....	\$1.50 to \$3.98 yard

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Geo. H. Snook & Co. | Geo. H. Snook & Co.

GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

A PLENTIFUL SUPPLY

Of Home Necessities and Beautifiers Provided for Our Patrons. Our Prices Permit Purchasing Freely.....

Blankets.....

When we mention blankets it's generally St. Mary's; they represent the highest type of All Wool blankets made, none better, few the equal in quality, durability and appearance. The sizes range from 10-4 to 15-4, the prices from \$2.95 to \$14.00 pair. See the Best Blankets.

Other makes good All Wool Blankets \$1.50 pair up.

Cotton Blankets 29c pair upwards.

Merritt's Wool Health Comforts,

made with Knotted Cheese Cloth covering, ready to put on any kind of top covering desired. Price for full regular bed size \$2.75 each. Same in Cradle-size, 40x56 in., \$1.25 each. Same in Cradle-size, 36x40 in., 75c each.

Cotton and Eiderdown Comforts,

covered with Choice Prints, Silkalines, Satines and Silk. Price range 98c, etc., for cotton filled up to \$9.00 for fine Eiderdown Silk covered.

Silkalines.

Many choice new patterns, 10c yard.

Cretones.

Handsome new styles, 12 1/2c yard.

You're Thinking of Buying Rug or Druggel.

Come, see ours—a positive money saving will result to you. Space to quote a few only:

RUGS.

Moquette, size 12x16, price 98c each.
Moquette, size 12x18, price \$1.25 each.
Moquette, size 12x20, price \$1.50 each.
Bigelow Imp. Velvet, size 12x16, price \$2.75 each.
Bigelow Imp. Velvet, size 12x18, price \$3.50 each.

BRUGGETS.

Ingrain, size 6x9, \$1.39 each.
Ingrain, size 9x12, \$2.50 each.
Smyrna, size 6x9, \$1.50 each.
Smyrna, size 9x12, \$2.75 each.
Iran, size 8-3x10-6, \$17.50 each.
Iran, size 9x12, \$21.50 each.
Wilton Velvet, size 9x12, \$23.50 each.

Live Geese Feathers—Choice New, Price 60 Pound, in One-Pound Sacks.

GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

"Alexandria"

A strictly high grade shoe for ladies—

\$3.50.

Swell shapes, any leather, including an elegant

Mannish Patent Leather.

ALEXANDER, Good Shoes. 1049 Main.

Royal Shoes.

"Royal" Shoe

FOR MEN.

Fall Styles Now In.

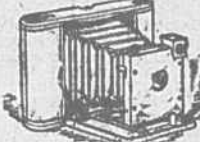
Wheeling's popular shoe—better than ever. If you wear the "ROYAL" you have the best \$3.50 shoe in Wheeling. We defy the detection of inferior stock or poor workmanship in any of these shoes.

ALL STYLES—ALL LEATHERS.

NAY BROTHERS,

Reliable Shoes. 1317 Market.

Nicoll's Art Store.



FOLDING POCKET CAMERAS

\$10.00—\$15.00.
Successful is the best word describing our new Pocket Kodaks. They are compact and light (made of aluminum), easy to operate, and give results both certain and satisfactory. We want you to see these cameras and our collection of local snap shots made by users of them.

NICOLL'S ART STORE, 1231 Market Street.

The Intelligencer

Office: 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

"Alexandria"—Alexander—Eighth Page.
Wanted—A First-Class Window Trimmer.
Wanted—One or Two First-Class Clothing and Furnishing Goods Salesmen.
Wanted—Boy to Feed Gordon and Cylinder Presses.
Satisfied?—Albert Stolze & Co.
Wanted—Immediately \$2.00 Rubber Lined Canvas Coats for 14-16—McEldene's—Second Page.
Everybody Come—House & Herrmann—Fifth Page.
Found at Last—Goetz's Drug Store.
To Europe—H. F. Behrens Co.
List's Home Liver Pills—R. H. List.
Teachers and Pupils—Stanton's Old City Book Store.
Cutters—Geo. W. Johnson's Sons.
Will Be Offered at Public Sale—Howard Haslett & Son.
Stocks for Sale—Simpson & Tatum.

20,000.
We have fitted more than twenty thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us a record and experience unequalled by any other optician in West Virginia. Satisfaction guaranteed.
JACOB V. GRUBB, Optician, No. 1806 Market Street.

FALL STOCK—FINE TAILORING.

Your attention invited to our large and handsome line of Fall Woolens—all entirely new designs and many exclusive novelties of which we are sole agents. The stylish get-up and fashionable appearance of our garments recommend themselves. Prices reasonable.
C. H. Hays & Sons, Fashionable Tailors and Fine Furnishers, 1821-1823 Market Street.

The "H. & H." Opening.

The House & Herrmann fall opening occurs this afternoon and evening, and the attaches of the firm were busily engaged yesterday in preparing to receive the thousands who will visit this establishment to-day. Among the decorations are the flags of every nation on earth except Spain's, which the decorating force carried with due formality to the furnace room and set on fire. The firm's band will give a continuous concert performance, afternoon and evening.

In Clerk Robertson's Office.

Yesterday, in Clerk Robertson's office, the following was recorded:
Deed made September 15, 1899, by Isabella V. Milligan and husband, W. A. Milligan, to August Hottmann and wife: consideration, \$4,000; transfers north one-half of lot 222 and southern three feet of lot 223, west side of Eoff street, between Alley 18 and Twenty-second street.
Two deeds of trust were recorded.
A marriage license was issued to Lou E. Langbein, aged thirty, and Nettie Keep, aged twenty-five, of Pittsburgh.

An Interesting Rumor.

There is an interesting rumor going the rounds in political circles, to the effect that Captain Panel Garden will be an aspirant for the Democratic nomination for sheriff when the time for announcements comes. The rumor is partly based on the tales of literature sent to friends in this city from Washington, by Captain Garden, who has charge of the capitol police. This literature, by the way, has created a considerable amusement on agriculture, statistics pertaining to the soil, and other subjects of weighty matter that the busy mill man touches not in his daily researches. All the books have good strong covers, and stacked in a library, like Maggie Murphy's organ, "they give the house a tone."

ALL the latest novelties in suitings and overcoatings, at C. W. Seabright's Son's, Merchant Tailor.

YOU can save money by buying Second Hand School Books at Stanton's Book Store.

BY strict personal attention to the wants of patrons I hope to deserve your confidence.
C. W. SEABRIGHT'S SON, Merchant Tailor.

NARROW ESCAPES

Were Made at the Main Street Fire Last Evening.

BEN MERGE BADLY WOUNDED

By a Falling Shutter, and Mrs. McNamee and George Kraft Were Burned While Escaping From the Building. The Loss was \$2,000 of Which \$1,100 is Covered by Insurance—Immense Crowd Attracted.

Remarkable for several narrow escapes from serious injury or loss of life was the fire on Main street in the wholesale district which attracted a tremendous crowd last evening at 5 o'clock, when repeated alarms from box 27 brought out the entire fire department on the double quick.

A gasoline stove in the kitchen of the apartments on the second floor of the building at 1423 Main and 1420 South street, owned by Mrs. Smith, of Martin's Ferry, and occupied by Mrs. John McNamee, which exploded, was the cause of the fire. At the time there were in the room Mrs. McNamee and her son, George Kraft. The explosion filled the room with fire in an instant, and the two occupants found it difficult to reach the stairway and escape, and in doing so they were slightly burned on face and hands.

The alarm was at once turned in, but before the Atlantic and Eleventh street chemical had arrived the blaze had secured a big start, and great clouds of smoke were pouring out of the windows at the Main street front. While the Chemical boys were introducing their lines of hose up the stairway, a ladder was set at the front of the building and some of the Atlantic firemen ascended with a line of hose. In wrenching open the shutters one of them was broken off and fell with a crash, striking a young man, Ben Merge, on the face and nose and knocking him senseless to the pavement. Fire Chief Cline, who was superintending the operations of the firemen, was standing just where the shutter would have struck him full and fair, but he knew what the warning cry from above meant, and barely stepped to one side in time to escape being struck. Merge, who is a salesman for W. H. Truschel & Company, the paper firm, which occupies the lower floor of the building, was carried into the Stolze Company's place, and was given medical aid by Dr. Linas, of the South Side. It was at first thought that his nose was broken, but this, happily, was an exaggeration, and although his injuries are severe they are not serious.

The Chemical and Atlantic boys soon had the blaze under control, but it required the hardest of work to confine it to the floor on which it originated. The kitchen and adjoining room suffered most, and the fire also extended to two other rooms at the front.

The water soaked through to the floor below and did some damage to the paper stock of W. H. Truschel & Company. Mr. Frank G. Caldwell, general manager of the Caldwell & Peterson Manufacturing Company, was early on the scene, and, calling on some of his employes for assistance, succeeded in moving out much of the Truschel stock before the water from above became destructive. The larger part of the stock, however, is in the cellar, and the damage there is as yet unknown.

Mrs. McNamee estimates her loss at \$900, with no insurance. The loss of W. H. Truschel & Company is estimated to be between \$500 and \$1,000, fully covered by insurance. The loss to the building is between \$300 and \$500, covered by insurance.

A Praiseworthy Record.

Chapline street M. E. Sunday school closed its year's work on Sunday with a history that has far exceeded any other record, under the guidance of the superintendent, Mr. Elmer Grimes. When he took possession of the school a year ago it was burdened with debt, small attendance and very little interest manifested, but with his untiring efforts, devotion and sacrifice he has increased the enrollment to 325, placed a \$400 piano in the school and paid off every bill to the first of October. The treasurer's report shows that cash received during the year amounted to \$254, besides \$58 for missions and the expenses \$190, leaving a balance of \$74. The school has placed money aside for an orchestra next year. The following officers were elected: Superintendent, Elmer Grimes; assistant superintendent, James Barton; secretary, Edward Handy; assistant secretary, Harry Boyd; treasurer, Annie Reed; librarian, Curtis Vanderhoof; assistant librarian, Charles Rader; pianist, Ida Vernon; organist, Lydia McNamee; infant department, Miss Carroll.

C. W. SEABRIGHT'S SON, The Tailor,

makes every effort to give patrons what they want.

BOTH New and Second Hand School Books at Stanton's Book Store.

EXCURSION TO PHILADELPHIA.

Via B. & O. Account National Export Exposition.
September 14th to November 30th the B. & O. will sell excursion tickets to Philadelphia and return at rate of \$15.15, valid for return passage until December 4th. Stop-overs allowed at Washington and Baltimore. For full information apply to T. C. Burke, Passenger and Ticket Agent.

GOOD workmanship and material are assured by C. W. Seabright's Son, merchant tailor.



When you feel that you have tried everything and everyone, consult us. A day's occurrence is the surprise shown by the benefited patients at our office.
Do you have headache? Do your eyes water? Do they smart or burn? Does the print run together when reading?
For any trouble of your eyes consult us. We make glasses at popular prices. Make a careful examination free of charge.

PROF. H. SHEFF, The Scientific Optician..... Corner Main and 11th Sts.

There's a Look

of the right sort—feel of the right kind—and fit, style and workmanship of the highest perfection in every one of our ready tailored

SUITS AND OVERCOATS.

Pay \$5.00, or any price from that to \$25.00, and you will receive more value, style and service for your expenditure than is usually given for a third again so much money—the say-so of our ad. is the do-so of the store.

Street Railway

Conductors and Motormen.

UNIFORM SUITS AND ULSTERS.

We are now showing the best Uniform Ulster and Suits ever shown, better than ever for the price..... \$10.00

See ours and compare with others at \$3.00 to \$5.00 more. Plenty of them. All sizes.

For Boys.....

We are doing wonders in point of style and worth in common every day Suits at..... \$1.50

Nothing in it for us, but we refuse to deviate from our principle, to give you only good clothing. If we clothe your boys, they'll be a credit to you and us.

MONEY BACK WHEN IT IS WANTED.

THE HUB,

Market and Fourteenth Streets.

Baer's Clothing House. | Baer's Clothing House.

Ready for the Fall Trade.....

The season for the selling of Fall Overcoats and Heavy Suits is here, and we are ready for it. We have been getting ready for it for months. The choice productions of the leading manufacturers of the country are represented here, and whatever prompt cash and long experience in the clothing business can accomplish is here for your benefit. We inaugurate the season with an unexampled display of

Suits and Fall Overcoats.

Prices ought to be higher, but they're not. Our fall stock was bought before the recent advance in prices.

LEE BAER

Twelfth Street Clothier.

White, Handley & Foster. | White, Handley & Foster.

\$1.49 ROCKER \$1.49

Fine Cobbler Seat Rocker, Antique Finish. * * * * *

This is a bargain, and cannot be duplicated when this lot is sold.

WHITE, HANDLEY & FOSTER.

2245 MARKET STREET.

FRANK & FOSTER, Receivers.

John Friedel & Co. | John Friedel & Co.

SPECIAL SALE

OF.....

Fancy Flower Pots, Jardenieres and Pedestals, Umbrella Stands and Cuspidores.

A FULL LINE OF CHINA NOVELTIES.

JOHN FRIEDEL & CO..

1119 MAIN STREET.

Locke Shoe Company. | Locke Shoe Company.

Cultivate Discrimination

between the excellent and merely good in

CHILDREN'S SHOES, and your bills for footwear will be lessened at least one-half.

These Are Excellent: Boys' Box Calif. lace, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2..... \$1.75

Boys' Box Calif. lace, sizes 5 1/2 to 7..... \$1.75

Boys' Box Calif. lace, sizes 7 to 8..... \$1.75

Boys' Box Calif. lace, sizes 8 1/2 to 10..... \$1.75

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